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THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

One of the Institutions of the Chamber

What It Is Doing In A Meritorious Sense For This Entire Section.

A few weeks ago notice was given in this paper of the organization of the Pioche Chamber of Commerce, and advance step taken which met the approbation of every citizen on account of the rapid advancement of the camp and the lack of authentic information by those seeking investment here. A few of the citizens took the matter in hand and after perfecting the organization, defining its objects and presenting it to the public the membership immediately increased three-fold. Every person seems enthusiastic over the proposition and are working to promulgate in an unselfish manner the actual merits of this section.

Committees on ways and means, printing, agricultural, commercial and mineral have been appointed and are working earnestly and efficiently. Some interesting data has and is being prepared for public use, exhibits are being collected and considering the time in which these things have been undertaken, the result is exceedingly surprising.

Mr. Geo. Arbogast will present to the board at its next meeting Monday evening at 8 o'clock, a paper upon the object and possibilities of the Pioche Chamber of Commerce which no doubt will be of great interest to the public and bring to the attention a true meaning of the organization. It is hoped and expected that every member will be present, for the programme of business outlined is voluminous and will require the presence of all. This organization is one of the most important steps taken by the public spirited citizens of Pioche for a number of years, and the co-operation of every one is solicited.

The objects are unselfish and every one is welcome.

H. Eilers a respected citizen of Pioche arrived Thursday with his bride from an extended visit to his old home in Germany. He was married to Gertrude Freuden on his way home in New York, Aug. 10. Mr. Eilers is replenishing his splendid home here in which the happy couple will reside. The community joins the Record in wishing them a contented and prosperous life.

If you wish to exercise your independence register. If you do not you'll have no kick coming about the administration of public affairs. Generally when you hear a howler he is not a voter. Do you want to be an American citizen or an anarchist. If the former register—if the latter you may be caught burning some one's house. The books close September 8th.

There was a pretty swift poker game Thursday night between Olson of Caliente, and Nunn of Pioche. They were playing stud at Brown's and \$50, anti was common. Fifteen hundred dollars in one pot was the limit won on a pair Jacks. From \$300 to \$700 pots were the result of each deal. Considerable money finally changed hands. The night before three or four millionaires from Salt Lake played penny anti in the same place. The game broke even. The result of the big game, was the winner purchased \$5,000 worth of real estate. The result of the other was a few cheap options with no money in sight. The two were Nevadans—the three were Mormons.

A MIX-UP.

While Mr. Geo. Richards, who drives the stage from here to Sunnyside, was making his regular trip the recent storm overtook him and made life a misery for one whole long night. The rain poured and the mud splashed, George trying to make time all the while. The whole earth seemed to be encompassed in water and the only consolation he had was the presence of Sport Watkins who enjoyed the same fate. The entire valley seemed to be one immense river when all at once the horses, stage, driver and passenger went into a ditch, breaking the wagon tongue, tangling up and finally scrambling to the bank. Several streams had already been crossed where the water ran into the stage coach and precautions for protecting the mail had been taken by tying it on top of the coach and George and Sport were standing up ready to jump and swim at any time. The wagon tongue and even the clevises floated down stream while all save the stage had regained safety on the same side they started in on. But the mail had to go through and there were two horses practically unhurt. The mail was put on one and George on the other, but he did not remain there long. Once, twice and a half dozen times he was bucked off until he did not know whether he was a bump in a mud hole or a trusted employee of the government. By this time dark had come and all hope vanished, so to sit in the rain till daylight was the only alternative. This was done when in the morning he started out to lead the horses and found they would not lead. However assistance was procured from Sunnyside and the stage arrived here twenty hours late patched and wired from one end to the other and presenting a spectacle of Mormon ingenuity not to be found anywhere in Utah.

TO PUT UP HOIST.

Mr. Earnest Godbe, of Salt Lake, General Manager of the Ohio-Kentucky Company, who owns mining property south and west of the Raymond & Ely, arrived in Pioche late Monday night, being delayed from Caliente here by the late storm. The Ohio-Kentucky people, in which both Mr. Godbe and Mr. Hackett are largely interested, will commence the sinking of a shaft on the Susan Duster claim and Mr. Jas. Earl, formerly superintendent of the Horn Silver, in Utah, is here to take charge of the work. A 25 horse power gasoline hoisting engine and a car load of lumber are now on the siding at Modena ready for transportation here and grading for the plant begins tomorrow. This is one among the strong companies operating here and it is safe to say most of the mining done by them will be under ground. Their mineral possessions comprise some of the very cream of the camp.

Remember, you must register before September 8th, if you wish to vote.

F. W. Dickle and Walker Lee left yesterday for Oscola and Ely to be gone for several days.

INTERESTING PAMPHLET.

The writer is in receipt of a very full, complete and interesting paper from Prof. Fred J. Pack, E. M. Ph. D. of Columbia University, New York, upon the geology of the Ely and Highland mining district together with a treatise on petrology and fossils of the shale belt here. The paper is in pamphlet form neatly printed and illustrated on excellent paper and is elaborate in detail and logical in theory. Prof. Pack discusses with ease and at length the ore occurrences and fault lines along the entire belt, illustrating the same with attractive maps. He states that the anticlinal system here is more perfect than in most places of his observation and refers to the great Meadow Valley fissure as unequalled almost in the annals of the world. The importance with which he regards the great Yuba dyke in a mineral sense extends from the Alps to Stampede Gap, is significant of the long and prosperous life of the camp. The paper as a whole is the most extensive and no doubt correct geological instrument ever gotten out of this district, as it treats of subjects and observations not mentioned before, and in his book he thanks most heartily those who assisted him in his work. Columbia University is considered authority on all matters it undertakes, of which Prof. Pack is Professor of geology.

On exhibition adjoining A. S. Thompson & Co. general merchandise store, may be seen a series of photographic views of extremely good design and degree of perfection. The are they handiwork of Prof. Booth, who has established a photograph gallery on the vacant lot in the rear of J. A. Nesbitts store. Most of the views are easily recognized by people here, being from Las Vegas, Delamar and Caliente, among which is striking plainness in the wreck of the San Pedro railroad below Caliente last Spring by floods. Some beautiful pictures of home people are also present, and taking the exhibit altogether it is a fine collection of fine work.

The wife of Col. Ellis, of the E. & F. Co. at Bristol, died in Portland, Ore. this week.

STRANGE BUT TRUE:

Just about sun up Thursday morning Lee Fox, proprietor of the Deck House, stepped out doors for some purpose when a peculiar scene in the north and east confronted him. At first he thought it a small dark cloud, but its actions were not natural, so he watched it. First it would descend then ascend, its form being imperfectly discerned, and its action exceedingly strange, when Mr. Fox called Mr. Fitzgerald and Mr. Corbern, to observe the phenomena. Watching it for a few minutes the object turned broad side when it was easily discerned, so say the spectators, to be an air ship. Even the canvas rudder and ballast swing could be plainly seen.

It appeared to be traveling in a northeasterly direction and very likely the daily papers will inform us concerning it in a few days.

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Reminiscences of the Best Mining Camp in the West Now on the Verge of Repeating Itself.

The Pioche Daily Record of the "Seventies" a True Incentive of what may be Expected in the Near Future.

Vol. 1, No. 1 of the Pioche Record of Sept. 17, 1870 contains the following: "BULLION—There were shipped through Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express during the week 26 bars, valued at \$30,499.19."

That Pioche will in a few years be the richest and largest producer of Mineral in the southwest is believed by those familiar with its resources and is being conceded by the coldest blooded mining engineers that ever turned down a good portation direct from the mines to the smelters, the amount of development now going on by different companies, the elaborate works in contemplation, and the aggressive campaigns being mapped out by large concerns, and the records of the past production of the camp sustain it all.

A new era is upon us, the metallurgical age is far advanced towards perfection, railroads have accomplished wonders in commercializing the various resources of Nevada, and no section in the west is more bountifully blessed with them than Pioche and surrounding country. The area of mineralization here is extensive, the ore occurrences are regular and generous and the values are commercially profitable under most any condition.

Pioche can no longer be regarded as out of the world. It is on the railroad map and with the surrounding territory is a mineral empire, possessing all the fluxes in abundance and other elements necessary for extensive reduction works of any capacity or design.

Its geology is the strongest known to mining students, and its mineral extent can only be contemplated after years of careful research and sober thought. That the rumble of the railroad, the study sound of the stamp mill, the nightly glare of huge smelters, the efficiency and brilliancy of electrical works, and the consequent bustle of business will be matters of fact within a few years is plainly seen by those who take time to look.

Then why should not Pioche be the metropolis of the intermountain southwest?

It will be the shipping point of a large and rich mineral belt for several years to come. It will be the supply point, the center of reduction works and always the best camp in Nevada.

This is not half of what may transpire here before one can fully realize it. We have been studying these things for years and would like to talk the matter of investment over with you.

It might be the means of making us all a few dollars.

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Following is a list of some of the Bargains.

Three lots on north main street with shade trees, at a bargain.

A GENUINE BARGAIN—A one and a half story brick lodge house, nine large newly furnished ground floor rooms, carpet throughout, stove in every room and front and back door entrance. This property is situated in a settled and profitable mining camp with over 300 men on the pay roll and is now bringing in 50 per cent on the investment. It is insured for \$1,700 or less than three-fourth of its value but will take \$2,000. Lots 118 feet front 120 feet back.

Forfeiture Notice.

TO GEORGE E. COX: You are hereby notified that I have expended during the year 1906, \$100 in labor and improvements upon the U. S. Lode Mining Claim in Eagle Valley Mining District, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, the location certificate of which is found in Book F, Pages 474 and 475 in the office of the Recorder of said County. And if within ninety days from the personal service of this notice or within ninety days after the publication thereof in accordance with said section 2224, you fail to refuse to contribute your share of such expenditure as a co-owner, your interest in the claim will become the property of the subscriber, your co-owner, who has made the expenditure required by the terms of said section 2224, your share of said \$100 being the sum of \$20.33.

LOST—A wide band ring with W. S. C. on the top, two chipped diamonds on the side and from family, Apr. 1, 83. Apr. 1, 04. on inside. The finder leave at this office and get reward.

Nine lots on Lacour St acknowledged the most desirable resident portion of Pioche.

One 4 room house on upper main street,—lot 50 x 125—well finished on inside, good cellar, out buildings, etc.—close in—a good buy.

One saloon building 25 x 50 ft —large rock cellar in rear 25 x 30 —some repairs necessary—will make splendid store room. Also one lot adjoining 25 x 100 with good cellar. One lot 25 x 100 and building with complete brewery outfit—all on main street and splendidly located for any kind of business.

Registration Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Book of Registration for the General Election to be held November 6th, 1906, for the election of State, County and Township officers, are now open, and will remain open daily on all legal days from 10 o'clock A. M. until 6 o'clock P. M. until September 10th, 1906, and from August 31st, 1906, until September 10th, 1906 from 7 o'clock P. M. until 9 o'clock P. M. in addition to the hours heretofore mentioned. The law requires naturalized citizens to exhibit their certificates of naturalization at the time they present themselves for registration.

Registration Agent SPRING VALLEY Precinct.

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Registration Agent DEERLODGE Precinct.

We have Location Notices.

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Registration Agent CALIENTE Precinct.

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